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THE LEGISLATURE.

The Forty-FIFTH Legislature of Maine will formally assemble on Wednesday next, but as the preliminary caucuses for the organization will be held this evening, the larger number of members will probably reach Augusta during to-day. The Senate will be composed of 20 Republicans and 11 Democrats, whenall the seats are filled, and the House is classified 96 Republicans, 61 Democrats, 3 Independents and 1 Liberal. As both branches are so strongly Republican, the caucuses this evening will virtually decide the choice of officers for the Senate and House.

For President of the Senate the candidates are General Thomas W. Hyde, of Bath, and Hon. John P. Sawyer, of Canton, both worthy and competent. The canvass has been entirely amicable and there seems to be little doubt that General Hyde will be chosen by the caucus. For Speaker of the House the candidates are Gen. J. W. Porter, of Burlington, Hon. Frederic Robie, of Gorham and Nathan W. Dutton, Esq., of Lewiston. The principal contest lies between the two former, and the friends of both, who have urged their favorites in the most friendly spirit of rivalry, profess confidence of success. Both are gentlemen of large experience in affairs of State, and both are excellently qualified for the position of Speaker. Mr. Robie has already held the office with much credit, Col. Porter being a candidate at the time of his election, but withdrawing in favor of the former. Both gentlemen have hosts of warm friends, and while the contest is said to be close our advices indicate that Colo Porter will lead in the caucus. It is gratifying to know that all the Republican candidates for the chair in the two branches are entirely unobjectionable. There are several candidates for the subordinate offices, whose names have been mentioned in our correspondence.

The caucus for nominating candidates for the State offices will be held Wednesday evening. Hon. Silas C. Hatch, of this city, who has so ably conducted the Treasury Department, will be renominated without competition.

For Attorney-General the candidates are Hons. L. A. Emery, of Ellsworth, Brant Knowlton, of Portland and Warren M. Vinton of Gray. The contest lies between the two former, either of whom would do honor to the office, and it is generally believed that Mr. Emery will be chosen.

Adjutant-General Mattocks, who has held the office for six consecutive years without disturbance, is inclined to hold on to it still longer if possible, and is making the usual State House canvass in his own behalf. There are three contestants, however. Gens. J. P. Cilley, of Rockland, Henry Boynton, of Augusta and Col. Henry Ilsley, of Limerick. Gen. Mattocks has doubtless conducted the business of the office properly; but we see no reason for continuing him indefinitely, and with the utmost stretch of the imagination cannot agree with one of his newspaper eulogists in regarding his retirement from what the writer designates as "the War Department," as assuming the grave proportions of a public calamity. Without disparaging the abilities of either of the competitors it seems to us that Gen. Cilley's friends present by far the strongest claim, and we cordially hope that he will be selected.

THE PRINCIPAL CONTEST

is that for the office of Secretary of State, the candidates being Sumner I. Chadbourne, Esq., of Lewiston for eight years past the popular and efficient Clerk of the House of Representatives and ex-Governor Sidney Perham, who was appointed to fill out Mr. Sawyer's term, and who was unsuccessfully thereafter pushed as a candidate by a very active cohorts of politicians having headquarters in Augusta. The phrases of this canvass have already been somewhat discussed in these columns, but there remain a few points entitled to consideration.

The first claim put forward for Mr. Perham was that his appointment by the Executive to fill a temporary vacancy should of right be confirmed by his election to continue in the office. We emphatically repudiate the notion that a retiring Governor has any claim by usage or courtesy to foreclose the choice of department officers to be authorized with a succeeding administration. During his term a Governor only makes appointments satisfactory to himself. It is for the Legislature to select State officers with a view to the satisfaction of the future administration, rather than the past. To admit such a claim of foreclosure would be a virtual usurpation of function from the Legislature to the Executive, and it will hardly find favor in Maine.

In bringing Mr Perham forward his champions sought to clear the way by urging Mr. Chadbourne to continue as Clerk of the House, promising him their active support for that position. As his friends would not contest that he should thus be pushed aside, the same opponents who were so anxious to return him to the office commenced a secret and malicious attack upon his qualifications as Clerk. It will be interesting to members to know that while Mr. Chadbourne's onlinary passing has been conducted by the voluntary commendations of his friends in all parts of the State, without any attempt or desire to assail or injure his competitor, the State Department, over which Mr. Perham has temporarily presided has been made the base of operations of the most unusual character to secure the latter's election. We reluctantly state, as a discreditable fact, that employes of that Department, paid by the State for public service, have been engaged—under the lead of Mr. J. T. Woodward, imported for the position of Deputy—in the very dignified work of scrutinizing the printed copies of Mr. Chadbourne's journal of the House proceedings, conspicuously noting every trivial typographical or verbal error, marking these discoveries on numerous copies presumably owned by the State, and circulating them as evidence that the man whom they urged to retain the office of Clerk is entirely unfit for the position. We have examined one of these marked copies and carefully noted the errors, and we have no hesitancy in saying that as an attempt to discredit Mr. Chadbourne's clerical competency it is an utter failure, and that a resort to such warfare by Governor Perham's friends must be regarded as contemptible. The errors so conspicuously marked are of a character in nowise affecting any public or private interest; are such as are almost inevitably incidental to the compilation of such matter in printed form, and are precisely similar to those found in the volumes published by his predecessor as Clerk, who was promoted to the office of Secretary of State, and who, we are sorry to hear, has countenanced and aided this unworthy attack upon one whose capabilities have certainly been ranked by successive Legislatures as not inferior to his own. As illustration of the spirit of this criticism we may cite that great stress is laid upon the accidental omission of the word "pure" in a mere mention of the caption of an bill to supply the city of Bangor with water!! and the majority of the errors hunted out are of an equally frivolous and inconsequential character. We do not believe the Legislature will feel like paying State Department employes for that kind of electioneering work, or that it will result at all to the advantage of those who have sought to control a nomination by such methods.

In view of such attacks the temptation to make reprisals is strong, but Mr. Chadbourne's friends have had no desire to emulate the devices of "pot-house politicians," even when the epithet has been unjustingly applied to them. We have respected Governor Perham as an excellent Chief Magistrate and have been unwilling to believe that he would countenance the sort of warfare being made in his behalf. But while cheerfully conceding his services as Governor, we do not regard him as the candidate best adapted for the office of Secretary of State, for which Mr. Chadbourne is by training and habit admirably fitted. We do not think it altogether dignified for an ex-Governor to enter the lists for a subordinate State office and seek to deprive a younger man of a merited promotion; and there would seem to us a great lack of delicacy in handicapping a new administration by placing in one of its subordinate positions one who could scarcely forget that he was recently at the head of affairs. If merely decimal fidelity is to be the test in this case, the assault upon Mr. Chadbourne must certainly remind many that Mr. Perham once held the position of Clerk of Courts and that his errors were productive of much more annoyance and trouble than any of the former, one notable instance leading to expensive litigation. That such errors of detail are not inconsistent with executive ability the ex-Governor's commendable administration may have proved, but in comparing qualifications for a clerical office, it is but fair to look at both sides.

MR. CHADBOURNE'S CONDUCT.

Another unworthy device of Mr Chadbourne's opponents has been the industrious circulation of reports that he was unpopular in his own section and lacked the support of his county delegation. We unhesitatively and squarely contradict the misstatement, and assert that every one of the fifteen Republicans from this County whose names will appear on their attendance at the caucus will vote for Mr. Chadbourne for Secretary of State. On learning of the effort to put some of Mr. Chadbourne's friends in the delegation at once determined to consult their associates, and a testimonial commending his character and qualifications and cordially indorsing his candidacy, was most cheerfully signed by every member to whom it was presented, and has been forwarded for our information. Of the four Republican Senators and eleven Representatives from this County, we have the voluntary signatures of all but two, which it has been impossible to reach, but of whose hearty support of Mr. Chadbourne we have had proper and positive assurance, and who will cordially unite with their delegation when as they arrive. The sentiment among other delegations from this section is strongly here last evening appears to be decidedly unanimous, and we believe that Mr. Chadbourne will be nominated by a majority quite as large as that indicated by our well-informed Augusta correspondent.

PROGRESSING BACKWARDS.

[From the Boston Journal.]

All who have seen it will remember Punch's print of a rural John Bull, who standing in his garden, wondering, put in hand, sees a head thrust through a hole in the fence. "Halloo, there! Do I always understand you colleges?" Back again is the mild reply. "There are already symptoms that the Democratic party in Congress are going back again particularly on the inflation-money question. We were told that here the majority of them were ignorant, unlearned persons, much such as the great body of Republican members; and the election of Mr. Kerr over Mr. Randall for the Speakership was cited as sure proof of the fact. The Speaker's committees were also said to be formed on the "hard-money" basis. And yet at the very first opportunity, four bills, of Democratic origin, were introduced in the House for repealing the Resumption Act of the last session. And now we learn that apparently good and thrifty that more than two-thirds of the Democratic members are in favor of repealing the Resumption Act, and that the Banking and Currency Committee will report a bill to that effect within sixty days.

We should not be surprised if this turns out true. A Democratic writer who professes to be in the confidence of Speaker Kerr recently explained the construction of his committees by saying that they are hard money only to the extent of resisting wild inflation theories—that is, we suppose, they are favorable to mild inflationism. Even if, therefore, the Democratic vote of the House—in consequence of the attitude of the President and the Senate—should not be massed for the repeal of the Resumption Act, we may expect to see plans brought forward—like the thirteen-dollar substitution of the late tenders for bank notes—which shall nullify all its good influence and destroy the promise it held out to the country of preparing the way for the return of specie payments. The truth is, the Democratic Representatives, like their party in Ohio and Pennsylvania, are dominated by their least respectable element. There is no question in them what countenance they have given to hard money has been under compulsion for political ends, and the moment the pressure yields, or turns the other ways committals and platforms will be of no earthly account. The country, judging from the increasing signs at Washington, may prepare for some curious developments in this respect.

Ex-Gov. PERHAM. A special despatch to Monday's Boston Journal states that ex-Governor Perham has been tendered the appointment of Second Deputy Comptroller of the U. S. Treasury, to replace the official who resigned a few days since on account of reflections upon his official conduct, and that Mr. Perham has declined the position. If this is correct it will very effectively dispose of the most prominent plea urged by those who are pushing the ex-Governor for Secretary of State, that of his need of the pecuniary emoluments. If Mr. Perham can afford to decline a national office, entirely creditable to his position, we think members of the Legislature will have less sympathy with his stepping down from the Chief Magistracy to compete with a deserving candidate for a minor State office. It seems pretty evident that something besides the not very desirable office of Secretary of State must be the object of such a bitter canvass as has been waged to prevent the well-earned promotion of Mr. Chadbourne.

POLITICAL AND PERSONAL.

There are several Union soldiers who are yet to be named for appointments, over a Democratic authority, at Washington, conscious, evidently, that "some one has blundered."

The President is reported to have said that if a bill reducing the army reaches him he will veto it.

As we supposed, it begins to grow clear that the hard-money professions of the Democratic House of Representatives will never be embodied in any effectual measures. The well informed Washington correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican* says that in forming his committees Mr. Kerr meant hard money only to the extent of opposition to the wild vagaries of the Inflationists and rag money men, and not "to thrust dishonest projects of finance upon the House or push the hard money theorists to any position of advantage."

A somewhat novel feature of the submission to the people of Texas of their new Constitution is the election of officers under that instrument at the same time that the vote is taken on its adoption; so that the votes will be cast for incumbents of offices which have actually no constitutional existence.

Senator Conkling recently made a reply to Mr. Blaine on the financial question. He had better give up the notion. He is the never read of the robust man who sat down on the baby?—[*Boston Journal.*

"Early hints," says the New York *Commercial Advertiser*, "Don Cameron seems power and patronage to exhibits his love of Civil Service after the manner of Gen'l Jackson, by making a clean sweep."

The Cincinnati *Times* thinks it would be better than back pay in the pockets of Democratic aspirants for the Presidency if their party had not had a majority in the present House of Representatives.

A Western journal, speaking of Gov. Hendricks' going down South to talk to the farmers, says: "On one subject he is capable of posting them. If he cannot tell them now to build a fence, he can teach them how to straddle one."

London Punch places Disraeli in Egypt, holding the Key of Asia and looking at the Sphinx, which is winking at him. Caption: "Mose in Egypto!"

The Washington correspondent of the Leavenworth (Kansas) *Commercial* says: "Our friend Chapin, of Springfield, Mass., has spent time, money and character for forty years for the Democratic party, and run the Boston and Albany Railroad for them over since I can remember, but poor Kerr, who made the committees, had not heard of him."

One Democratic organ, the Richmond *Whig*, is trying to coax over Carl Schurz. It says: "The incoming National Democratic Administration will not repeat the blunder of our Missouri friends, but will evince to the world their appreciation of merit by placing in some exalted position of usefulness one adopted fellow-citizen, the dignified and honest ex-Senator from Missouri."

The Buffalo *Express* asks: "What has become of all the 'War Democrats' in Congress?" Pittsburgh *Columbia* answers: "They are the sixty-nine of 'em. They fought, too, but in gray uniforms."

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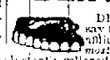

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City of Bangor.

The Joint Standing Committee of the City Council on Accounts and Claims, will be in session at the Aldermen's Room, on the MONDAY preceding the FIRST TUESDAY of each month, during the present municipal year, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Claims against the City, not presented as above, will not be acted upon until the succeeding month.

JOSEPH O. WHITE, Chairman.

All claims passed at the regular meetings of the City Council, for payment of which orders are signed by the Mayor, will be paid on and after the following THURSDAY.

JOHN L. CROSBY, Treasurer.

In order to insure the prompt payment of bills against the Pauper Department, they should be left at the store of the undersigned, No. 5 State street, on or before FRIDAY MORNING next preceding the FIRST TUESDAY of every month.

Per order,

J. BURBANK, Sec'y.

Overseers of the Poor.

Bangor, March 30, 1875.

A CARD.

MR. THEODORE WICHTENDAHL will give private lessons in Engrossing, superior style with the view to secure employment.

Address at DAVENPORT'S,

dec6 or 2 May street.

MARRIED.

In this city, Dec. 31st, by Rev. A. Prince, Mr. John C. Berry of Camden, and Miss Frankie E. Sinclair of Bangor.

In La Grange, New Year's evening, by P. H. Soule, Esq., Mr. Frank O. Bates and Miss Anna M. Owen, both of La Grange.

DIED.

In Eddington Dec 31st, Marcelo, wife of Charles A. Rowe, aged 33 years.

Wanted.

A situation as [illegible] in a small family by an [illegible] Hancock street, Bangor. Inquire at 113 Hancock street.

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THE THIRD

ANNUAL EXHIBITION

OF THE

Maine Poultry Association,

Will be held in the

CITY HALL,

PORTLAND, ME.,

January 20 to 26, 1876, Inclusive.

$3000 in Premiums to be Distributed.

Arrangements have been made with the Railroads, Express Companies, etc., for reduced rates.

Admission 25 cents.

Articles entered must be exhibited in person.

For premium lists, etc., address

CHAS. A. LATTER, Sec'y.

Portland, Me

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The undersigned agree to close their places of business at half past six o'clock P. M. (except Saturdays) on and after January 5th to April 15th, 1876.

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H. BUGBEE & CO.
E. F. & W. G. DUREN.
CHAS. HIGHT

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Houses for Rent.

Two Houses for rent—one on Pine Street, the other on Elm. Enquire of

GEO. W. CHADBOURNE,

jan4 2w Phenix Block.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Snow & Neeley, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either party is authorized to settle the accounts of the late firm.

JAMES H. SNOW.
PORTER NEALEY

CARD.

The subscriber will in a few days will be located at the old stand of Snow & Neeley, with a new stock of Jewelry and Fancy Goods articles, where he will be pleased to see his old patrons and friends.

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TEA WHITE

Has gone to Boston to buy a new stock of goods. When he returns look out for big trades.

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Matthew Arnold's New Book,

GOD AND THE BIBLE,

Received by

D. BUGBEE & CO.

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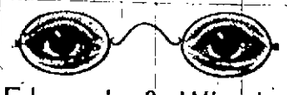

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Successors to C. SWEET,

OPTICIANS,

Dealers in all kinds of

SPECTACLES,

In Gold Silver, Shell, Rubber, and Steel Frames.

All kinds of Spectacles repaired. Glasses re-set in old frames.

Also have a full line of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Solid Silver and Plated Ware.

Any piece of Solid Gold Jewelry made to order. Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry repaired in a satisfactory manner.

15 Hammond Street.

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Subscriptions received for Magazines and Newspapers. Diaries and Magazines for the new year.

E. F. & W. G. DUREN.

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GO WEST, YOUNG MAN, GO WEST.

Was good advice, and well intended by Horace, but I shall continue not to heed it, but stop at 36 HAMMOND STREET, opposite Court House, ready to make or repair any article of Solid Gold Jewelry you wish, in a first-class manner.

EBEN STEVENS.

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FRIDAY EVENING, Jan. 7th.

The Favorite of Bangor Audiences!

Barnabee Concert Company!

Re-organized for the Season of 1875-6, and with New, Fresh and Pleasing Programme.

MRS. H. E. H. CARTER,
The Distinguished Soprano,
MISS ANNA C. HOLBROOK, Contralto.
MR. W. J. WINCH,
The Accomplished Tenor.
MR. H. C. BARNABEE,
The eminent Basso and Humorous Vocalist.
MISS PERRIS BELL,
The Talented Young Lady Violinist.
MR. HOWARD M. HOW,
The Accomplished Pianist.

Sale of tickets will begin at D. Bugbee & Co.'s Monday morning, Jan. 4th, at 10 o'clock.

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NOTICE.

Any one wishing to have a small child cared for by a competent lady at her residence for a small compensation, can receive further information by calling at this office.

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WANTED One Active, Reliable Man in every Town, and two in every City in this State, the city of Lewiston excepted, to sell Goods manufactured by the Russell Variety Rack Co., of Vermont. To the right men, steady work and liberal pay will be given. For particulars address with stamp, or apply to

J. W. SIMONS,
No. 131 Main St.,
Bangor, Maine.

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YOU CAN BUY

A Print Dress,	for $1.25	former Price,	$2.00
A Print Dress, Lined,	" 1.75	" "	2.50
A Print Dress, Lined and Trimmed,	" 2.00	" "	3.00

I shall sell at the above prices for only a few days, to close out stock now on hand.

G. W. STEVENS,

No. 40 MAIN STREET.

Bangor, November 22, 1875.

MARK DOWN.

The Best Stock in the City of

Cloaks & Cloakings,

Is this Day Marked Down to Close the Season.

Cloaks Made to Order in the Best Manner.

J. T. RINES & CO.

Dec 6

GRAND OUTPOURING OF THE PEOPLE

AT

23 MAIN STREET.

To-day, Monday, in order to reduce my stock as much as possible for the next three months, shall offer the entire stock of Dry and Fancy Goods at less than 3 dollars' Prices

BLACK ALPACAS, BLACK BRILLIANTINES,

AND

BLACK CASHMERE.

If you want a nice Black Dress, go to the BLACK GOODS DEPOT, get cut it. We keep the best quality of these goods, and sell them cheaper than any other firm in the city.

Cloaks! Cloaks! Cloaks!

We have the largest and best selected stock of Cloaks in Bangor, and in order to close out them, rather than keep them over for another year, we shall sell them at prices much below cost.

Don't think of buying any Woolen Clothing or Flannels without first looking at our stock. It is a great saving to you. We have the entire stock down to cost and less.

NICHOLS & WITHAM,

23 MAIN STREET.

OUR GRAND FINALE

For 1875.

CLOSING OUT SALE

OF

FALL & WINTER CLOTHING!

Every Garment sold at Slaughtering Prices to make Room for Our Spring Goods.

Those Who Have Not Bought had better Buy Now.
Those Who Have Bought had better Buy Again.

THERE IS MONEY IN IT.

We want to sell Winter Goods now in Summer, therefore we must choose of the balance of our goods at such LOW PRICES as will COMPEL ALL TO BUY OF US IN SELF-DEFENCE.

GRAND LAND SLIDE

IN PRICES, MEN'S, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING almost given away. No such inducements were ever offered to the citizens of Bangor before.

No Dull Times at Our Mammoth Wardrobe.

HONEST GOODS, SMALL PROFITS AND ONE PRICE TO ALL does the business. The public know when they are well used and are bound to leave their money where they can get the most for it.

"Wandering Jews" and "Heathen Chinees" Riding on Balaam's Ass,

Recommend the public to come to NO. 16 WEST MARKET SQUARE. It is not often that our competitors offer such good advice. We appreciate it; we thank them.

DO IT SOME MORE---WE LIKE IT.

We cordially invite the ENTIRE POPULATION to come and examine our clothing and compare prices, whether they wish to purchase or not.

WE WAGE WAR AGAINST HIGH PRICES!

Read Below and Judge for Yourselves.

The following reductions have been made to insure a speedy sale of our entire stock of clothing

All Wool Scotch Suits, former price $11.00	$11.00
Genuine Silk and Wool Suits, sold by all others at $16.00.	$12.50
The Best Domestic Worsted Suits, Compare them with our neighbors' $20 Suits	$15.00
Heavy Double Breasted Suit Suits, No store in Maine owns them for less than $15.00.	$10.00
Imported Worsted Coats and Vests, Can't be bought at elsewhere less than $16.00.	$12.00
English Worsted Suits, Other dealers charge $25.00.	$18.00
Fine Basket Goods Suits,	$16.00

ULSTERS, OVERCOATS, REEFERS.

We are now selling these Garments at astonishingly low prices. We guarantee a saving of from $4.50 to $7.00 on the same.

GOOD WINTER OVERCOATS, $6.00, $7.00, $9.50, $11.50, $14.00. For the first trade we have a GENUINE IMPORTED BLYSIAN BEAVER OVERCOAT lined throughout with SILK, bound with the FINEST IMPORTED BINDING and with a GENUINE SILK VELVET COLLAR. We will show for $30.00. Custom Tailors charge $60 00 for the same coats.

PANTALOONS.

All Wool Pants,	$3.00 and $3.50
Heavy Wool Pants,	$1.50
We have made a great reduction on our Dress Pants.	

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.

For the little folks we have everything to please.

A whole suit for	$1.25, $2.00 and $3.00
Velvet-bound Overcoats,	$2.50.
All Wool Chinchilla Cape Overcoats,	$3 00

In connection with the above we have the most extensive assortment of Fine Clothing ever seen in under one roof east of Boston, at ASTONISHING LOW PRICES.

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AT 16 WEST MARKET SQUARE

Remember that this Great Sale Continues till Jan'y 1, '76.

C. D. B. FISK & CO.,

The Great Clothiers,

16 WEST MARKET SQUARE,

Formerly the China Tea Store,

BANGOR, MAINE.

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MASSACHUSETTS MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMP'Y

I have been appointed Agent of this company for Eastern Maine, with my headquarters at No. 12 WEST MARKET SQUARE, Bangor, where I shall be ready to insure on the different plans.

All policies non-forfeitable by the Laws of Massachusetts in the Company. I shall take Life—Single, Five Year or Ten-ly payments, Endowment or Joint Life, or Children Short Term policies. Apply by letter for terms and application forms to

WM. FLOWERS.

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Bangor, Dec. 4, 1875.

Boston Almanac

For 1876 Received by

dec30 E. F. & W. G. DUREN.

E. H. FOGG,

Sole Agent for the Celebrated

AMERICAN SHEAR CO'S

POCKET KNIVES,

For Bangor and vicinity.

These Knives are warranted to be equal to any of foreign manufacture. A large and varied stock constantly on hand at

47 West Market Square,

Bangor, Dec. 28, 1875.

Eaton Family School for Boys,

AT TORRINGFORD, CONN.

(Established 1854.)

Offers unequalled advantages for educating boys for business.

For information, address

H. F. EATON,

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DURING THE HOLIDAYS.

D. W. MERRILL & CO. offer their entire stock of FURNITURE, which is one of the largest and most varied to be found in Maine, at extremely low prices.

Our stock of Holiday Goods in the furniture line is the most extensive ever seen in Bangor, consisting of Elegant Folding and Rocking Chairs, upholstered in all kinds of Fancy Coverings, Foot Rests, Fancy Desks and Tables, Wall Brackets in Gilt and Ebony, Slipper Cases, Music Stands, elegantly carved Brackets and Towel Racks, Parlor Easels, Picture Cabinets, &c., and a full assortment of Children's Furniture, all selling at the very lowest prices.

Office and School Furniture on hand and manufactured to order.

We cordially invite purchasers to examine our goods as to prices, and convince themselves that ours is the place to get bargains in Furniture.

Every Variety

OF

SMALL FURNITURE,

suitable for the holidays, made to order by H. S. BROWN. Also all kinds of

FURNITURE JOB WORK,

small or large. Old or New, done at the lowest possible prices by H. S. BROWN.

Dec. 30 tf 15 State Street

TAGS DENNISON'S Patent Tags

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE

Will print what a very low figure.

Bangor, July 28, 1875.

Auction Sales.

EDWARD LEAVITT,

COMMISSION MERCHANT & AUCTIONEER

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PEARL & WEBB,

Real Estate Brokers, Auctioneers AND GENERAL INSURANCE AGENTS

24 West Market Square

For Rent.

Two desirable Tenements on Hancock street. Containing 6 rooms each. Inquire of

PEARL & WEBB.

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For Sale!

A very desirable Tenement on Union Street. Contains 6 rooms, with Stable attached. Well located. Terms very easy.

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E. B. PATTEN,

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No. 10 West Market Square,

(Next Wheelwright & Clark's Block)

Sales of Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Crockery, Glassware and all kinds of Merchandise, at private sale or auction, at short notice. Orders left at Store, or sent by mail or telegraph, will receive prompt attention.

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Wanted.

Boarders to accommodate with good board and comfortable rooms, by the week or month, at 11 Hancock street.

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MAGAZINES--1876.

Now in course of publication.

HARPER'S, ATLANTIC, OVERLAND, SCRIBNER'S, LIPPINCOTT'S, ST. NICHOLAS, OUR YOUNG FOLKS, WIDE AWAKE, and all other publications of the day, at

PEARL & WEBB'S,

Foster & Bragg's New Block,

NO. 5 PICKERING SQUARE.

NO. 9.

J. G. RANDLETT & G. G. TIDSBURY

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CHAS. HALE & CO.,

24 Main Street,

will sell at the lowest cash prices a full assortment of

CHRISTMAS GOODS

Such as

Rich Diamond

Cut Glass Bottles, Vases, Cologne Sets, Smoking Sets, Odor Sets, Odor Stands, Odor Bottles, Perfumery, Cologne, Extracts, Soaps, Fancy Boxes, Ivory Goods, Fancy Baskets, Fancy Goods, Toilet Sets, Shaving Sets, Pocket Books, Portmonnaies, Wallets, Purses, Pocket Cutlery, Solid Silver Watches, Gold Watches, Silver Watches, Gold Chains, Silver Chains, Gold Pens, Gold Pencils, Silver Pencils, Gold Rings, Silver Rings, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Albums, Card Cases, Fine Inks, Rubber Goods, Necktie Holders, Ladies' Companions, Work Boxes, Work Baskets, Work Stands, Work Tables, Work Boxes,

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Whig and Courier.

TUESDAY, JAN 4, 1876.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS,

THE STATE CAPITAL.

THE COMING LEGISLATURE.

CANVASSING FOR OFFICES,

THE SECRETARYSHIP CONTEST

CHADBOURNE WELL AHEAD.

Organization Gossip.

The Gathering of the Law-Makers.

AUGUSTA Jan 3 The hotels this evening are in an animated appearance as they generally do on the assembling of the Legislature But few members are on the ground until their regular pay day Ford the Weeks arrived in this city in force this first day of the month Many of the members will leave on the 3 o'clock train this afternoon

Canvassing.

For the new Legislature and State officers to be filled has commenced in good earnest at the Augusta House the state house are busily engaged in making their plans Will every member who are here now be elected by the first day of January I cannot tell but I expect to see a very warm time with the different candidates for every office I suppose they will all be here to-morrow when they get here

The Pretium Men

The excitement over the Pretium men is still the all absorbing topic of conversation on the streets to-day Sheriff Sterling has been up to Oxford to look up the matter Deputy Sheriff Durling is also expected to arrive in Oxford to-night Deputy Sheriff Bowey of Gilead is also on this day at the State House and conducted the examinations for the Pretium men Probably they are all on the ground by to-morrow the latter part of the day the latter the deed

What Woodward is Working For

It is known that Col Fred Gordon Pratt the Democratic candidate for Secretary of State is to be opposed by Hon Joseph L Woodward, late Deputy The gentleman is now in the city and is very much pressed by his friends to be a candidate for the office of Secretary of State

Other Cities.

Cambridge, Fitchburg, Holyoke, Newburyport and Newton show an increase in their debt since 1874 Boston, Lowell, Worcester, Taunton, Lynn, Salem and Gloucester exhibit a heavy aggregate decrease

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT

WASHINGTON Jan 3 1876

The following is a recapitulation of the public debt statement

DEBT BEARING INTEREST IN COIN

Bonds at 6 per cent	$1 091 913 400 00
Bonds at 5 per cent	64 623 512 00
Funded loan	14 000 000 00
Total	$1 770 536 912 00

DEBT BEARING INTEREST IN LAWFUL MONEY

Navy pension fund 6 per cent	14 000 000 00
Interest	10 000 00
Total	$14 010 000 00

DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY

Principal	$ 2 156 610 20
Interest	47 160 0
Total	$ 2 203 770 20

DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST

Old demand and legal tender notes	$ 346 681 016
Certificates of deposit	53 815 000 00
Fractional currency	44 149 70
Coin certificates	31 360 000 00
Total	$ 431 204 716 70

Principal	$ 415 254 00
Interest	34 454 50
Total	$ 449 708 50

Total debt	$ 2 437 122 570 3
Less cash items	256 581 0
Total	$ 2 180 541 55

CASH IN TREASURY

Coin	$ 79 24 428 1
Currency	11 11 941 80
Special deposit U S five per cent fund for redemption of certificates	50 000 00
Special deposit with Treasurer of U S by National Banks	5 1 200 00
Total	$ 115 2 9 81
Less outstanding checks and drafts	1 1
Total cash in Treasury Jan 1	$ 1 1
Debt less cash in Treasury Dec 1	$ 2 1
Decrease since last month	$ 1

RATE PER CENT OF INTEREST

Interest bearing debt at	6
Interest bearing debt at	5
Interest on debt on which interest has ceased	6
Interest on transferred to Pacific Railroads	6
Interest on bonds held by the United States	5

CHARLEY ROSS

Now They Think it is the Same Little Scamp who Called the Boston Reporters

MILFORD N H Jan 3 The boy at St Anselms Seminary named Charley Ross who has been missing from his home in Germantown Philadelphia since July 1874 is now believed by the authorities here to be the boy who called at the Boston Post office and Boston Herald office on Dec 23 and left letters addressed to the editors of those papers stating that he was Charley Ross and that he was in Boston and would like to see the editors

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Graham's Headquarters

At the State House in the Secretary's office is to be found gathered there this evening a cheerful look on the countenances of the supporting Governor Graham who have assembled to congratulate him on his success in the election

Chadbourne Sure of a Large Majority

Chadbourne is sure of a large majority in the Legislature from this district and will be the unanimous choice of the Republican party

Senator Morrill

It was announced that Senator Morrill who is now in Washington will spend the holidays at home with his family

Going For Your Place

It is said that the personal friends of Hon Joseph H Williamson Secretary of State will make a vigorous attempt to have Gov Nye appointed Insurance Commissioner and Perham put into the office Nye has already got an inkling of this movement, and is therefore doing his best for Perham to say the least

The Adjutant General's Office

General Boynton is after General Marston's place of Adjutant General, in the event of Perham's election and his friends confidently claim that he will win So far as the three counties are concerned Boynton has Murray on the hip as he has been collecting for him a solid delegation while Murray will only get two out of the ten Washington county delegation General Cilley's friends are also active and confident He will carry his county if Knox is not, and will have support in Lincoln Hancock, Somerset and Piscataquis besides Hilsley's friend in the latter county

Presiding Officers

The contest for presiding officers of the two branches promises quite an interesting one It is generally conceded that Gen Burleigh will secure the Presidency of the Senate Dr Boble's friends are out on his being Speaker but Colonel Porter's friends quite as confidently dispute the claim and both claim that the contest will be close, one which keeps the result in doubt

LUMBERMEN, TAKE NOTICE.

15000 pairs Indian Moccasins—the largest and best lot in the city.

Oil Tan Moccasins,

—AND—

Lumbermen's Boots,

At [illegible]

Licking Block Main St.

Christmas Candies!

Wholesale and Retail STOCK of

CHOICE CANDIES & CANDY TOYS!

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

All kinds of Confectionery and Packages of the Finest Candies in the City.

A. L. & R. C. Boyd's,

No. 3 Central and 11 West Market Sq.

NO GUESS.

It is only to add and tell your neighbor that the Best Trunks for Gents, Ladies and Children, Pocket Books and Shopping Bags very low in price at

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ATTENTION!

Lumbermen and Wood Choppers.

AXES! AXES! AXES!

Bangor Edge Tool Co.

Warehouse [illegible]

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BUZZELL & SHAW,

20 Main Street

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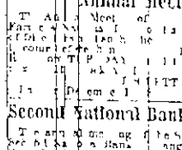

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Wig Maker [illegible]

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Merchants National Bank

Traders National Bank

First National Bank of Bangor.

Annual Meeting.

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Stockholders' Annual Meeting.

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TESTIMONIALS.

Regarding Mr. Eddy as one of the most capable and successful practitioners with whom I have had official intercourse. CHARLES MASON, Comm'r of Patents.

I cheerfully assist Mr. Eddy in any way I can, as I consider him thoroughly competent and trustworthy, and also capable of fully advising any applicant who is in doubt as to whether he is entitled to a patent or not, and if so, how to secure the same in the most speedy and favorable manner. EDMUND BURKE, late Commissioner of Patents.

Mr. R. H. Eddy has made for me over fifteen applications for patents, having been successful in almost every case. I do not hesitate to recommend all inventors to apply to him as I consider his charges as low as they can be, consistent with fair compensation for skilful services rendered. I have also employed other solicitors, but never with the same success as with Mr. Eddy. THOMAS EWBANK, late Commissioner of Patents.

Boston, Jan. 1, 1876. 1yr

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